

# Installation

# 24-Port 10/100 Ethernet Switch

AP9224110





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# **Preliminary Information**

#### Overview

The American Power Conversion (APC®) Ethernet Switch (AP9224110) is a multi-port switch that can be used to create high-speed backbone connections among switches, servers, databases, and end stations. The switch fits into any enterprise-level network as an exit to the backbone switch.

#### **Features**

Each switch features:

- Automatic MDI/MDIX for all ports
- N-way Auto-negotiation
- · Store-and-Forward architecture
- 1U 19-inch rack-mount design
- Internal power supply

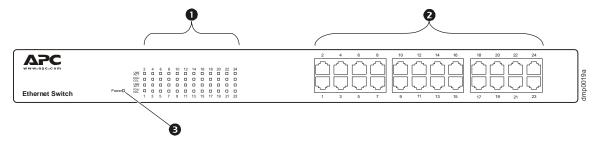
#### Inventory

The Ethernet Switch package includes the following items:

- One APC Ethernet Switch
- · Power cord
- · Four rubber feet
- · Rack mount kit
  - Two brackets
  - Eight Phillips-head screws
- This *Installation Manual*

If any item is missing or damaged, contact APC Customer Support using the phone numbers on the back cover of this manual.

### Front panel



- 1 LED indicators (two for each RJ-45 port)
- **2** 24 10/100Base-TX RJ-45 ports
- 3 One Power LED indicator

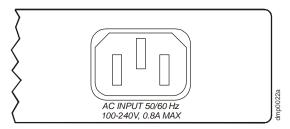
**LED Indicators.** The LED indicators provide real-time information on the operating status of the system.

LED	Status	Description	
Power	Green	Power is on.	
	Off	Power is not connected.	
LNK/ACT	Green	The port is connecting with the device.	
	Blinking	The port is receiving or transmitting data.	
	Off	No device is attached.	
FDX/COL	Orange	The port is operating in full-duplex mode.	
	Blinking	Packet collision occurred on this port.	
	Off	No device is attached or the port is operating in half-duplex mode.	



### Rear panel

The power input connector is located on the rear panel of the switch.



### Installation

#### **Desktop installation**

Place the switch on a large, clean, level surface with a power outlet nearby. Make sure there is enough clearance around the switch for attaching cables and the power cord, and for air circulation.

#### Attaching rubber feet.

- 1. Make sure the mounting surface on the bottom of the switch is free of grease and dust.
- 2. Remove the adhesive backing from the rubber feet.
- 3. Apply one rubber foot to each corner on the bottom of the switch to protect the switch from shocks and vibrations.

#### **Rack-mounted installation**

The switch comes with a rack-mount kit and can be mounted in an EIA standard size, 19-inch rack. The switch can be placed in a wiring closet with other equipment. When installing the switch, take into consideration the following:

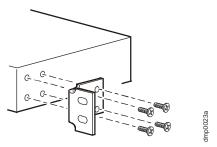
- Install the switch in an environment compatible with the maximum ambient temperature (Tma) specified in "Technical Specifications" on page 7. Switches installed in a closed or multi-unit rack assembly can experience a greater operating ambient temperature than the ambient room temperature.
- Install the switch in a way that allows sufficient airflow for safe operation.
- When you install the switch in the rack, be sure that you do not create a hazardous condition due to uneven mechanical loading. For example, do not use the switch as a shelf.
- When installing the switch, review the switch nameplate to avoid overloading the circuits.
- Be sure the switch is properly grounded by plugging it directly into a wall outlet or by verifying the ground path if you connect the switch to the power supply through power strips.

#### To mount the switch in a rack:



**Caution:** To avoid equipment damage, use only the provided hardware to install the brackets.

1. Position one bracket to align with the holes on one side of the switch and secure the bracket with the smaller bracket screws. Attach the remaining bracket to the other side of the switch.



2. Choose a location for the unit:



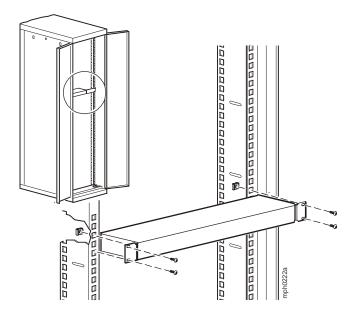
**Note:** The unit occupies one U-space. A notched hole (or a number, on newer enclosures) on the vertical rail of the enclosure indicates the middle of a U-space.

a. Insert cage nuts (provided with the enclosure) above and below a notched hole on each vertical mounting rail in your chosen location.



Warning: Install cage nuts horizontally, with the ears engaging the sides of the square hole. Do NOT install cage nuts vertically with the ears engaging the top and bottom of the square hole.

b. Align the mounting holes of the brackets with the installed cage nuts. Insert and tighten screws.



#### **Applying power**

Connect the cord of the power adapter to the power socket on the rear panel of the switch. Connect the other end of the power cord to an appropriately-protected power source. Check the power indicator on the front panel to make sure that the switch is receiving power.

#### Connecting the switch

The RJ-45 ports use either unshielded twisted-pair (UTP) or shielded twisted-pair (STP) cable.

- For 10 Mbps connections use  $100\Omega$  Category 3, Category 4, or Category 5 cable
- For 100 Mbps connections use  $100\Omega$  Category 5 cable



**Note:** The length of any twisted-pair connection must not exceed 328 feet (100 meters).

# **Troubleshooting**

### **How to Resolve Problems**

This chapter describes common problems that may occur when using the switch and their possible solutions.

First, use the information in this chapter to attempt to resolve a problem. If this information does not resolve the problem, contact APC Worldwide Customer Support using the numbers listed on the back cover of this guide.

### **Specific Problems and Their Solutions**

#### **Diagnosing LED Indicator**

If the LNK LED does not illuminate after connection, check the following:

- Verify that the switch and any devices attached to it are turned on.
- Be sure the connecting cable is plugged into both the switch and its corresponding device.
- Verify that the proper cable type is used and its length does not exceed specified limits.



See "Connecting the switch" on page 4.

#### **Power**

If the power indicator on the front panel of the switch does not turn on when the power cord is plugged in, the power outlet or power cord may be defective.

If the switch loses power after running for a while, check for loose power connections, or power fluctuations at the power outlet.

#### Incorrect connections

The switch can auto-detect whether a device is connected with a straight-through or crossover cable. If the RJ-45 connector pins are not properly configured, the link will fail.

**Faulty or loose cables.** Look for loose or faulty connections. Make sure the connections are snug. If that does not correct the problem, try a different cable of the same category.

**Non-standard cables.** Check that you are using the correct cables.



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**Improper network topologies.** Make sure that you are using a valid network topology. Too many hubs or repeaters between the connected computers in the network may increase the number of packet collisions or cause other network problems. Remove unnecessary hubs from the network.

**Data path loops.** Check for data path loops. There should be only one cabling path at any time between the switch and the device to which it connects.

#### **Transmission mode**

The RJ-45 ports use auto-negotiation to set the transmission mode to either full-duplex or half-duplex.

Verify that each port is set to the same transmission mode used by the attached device. If the attached device operates at half-duplex, the default when auto-negotiation fails, it does not support auto-negotiation.

# **Technical Specifications**

### 24-Port 10/100 Switch (AP9224110)

#### **Performance**

Transfer Rate 14,880 packets per second for 10 mbps

148,800 packets per second for 100 mbps

MAC Address 4K MAC address table

Memory Buffer 1.25 mbits Backplane 4.8 gbps

#### **Electrical**

Input connector IEC-320-C14
Nominal input voltage 100–240 Vac
Input frequency 50–60 Hz

Power Consumption 18 Watts (Maximum)

#### **Communication and Management**

Protocol CSMA/CD

Technology Store-and-Forward switching architecture

LED System: Power

Per RJ-45 port: Link/Activity, Full-duplex/Collision

#### **Physical**

Size (H x W x D) 44 x 440 x 120 mm (1.73 x 17.32 x 4.72 in)

Connector RJ-45: 24 ports

Network Cable 10BASE-T: 2 pairs UTP/STP CAT3, CAT4, or CAT5 cable EIA/TIA 568  $100 \Omega$ 

 $(100 \, \text{M})$ 

100BASE-TX: 2 pairs UTP/STP CAT5 cable EIA/TIA 568 100 $\Omega$  (100M)

#### **Environmental**

Temperature

Operating 0°C to 45°C (32°F to 113°F)

Storage  $-10^{\circ}\text{C to }70^{\circ}\text{C }(-14^{\circ}\text{F to }158^{\circ}\text{F})$ 

Humidity

Operating 10% to 95% (Non-condensing)

Storage 10% to 95%

### Compliance

802.1p CoS
802.3 10BASE-T
802.3u 100BASE-TX
802.3x Flow control

### **Regulatory Approvals**

Product Safety	UL/C-UL 60950-1, EN 60950-1, TÜV, CE
EMC	CE, FCC part 15, EN 55022, VCCI Class A, EN 55024, EN 61000-3-2, EN 61000-3-3, ICES-003

### Radio Frequency Interference



Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

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This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with this user manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference. The user will bear sole responsibility for correcting such interference.

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  - www.apc.com/support/
     Global support searching APC Knowledge Base and using e-support.
- Contact an APC Customer Support center by telephone or e-mail.
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